

**PATENT
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF : James B. Jaquith et al.
FOR : ACYLATED AND NON-ACYLATED
IMIDAZO2,1-B-1,3,4-THIADIAZOLE-2-
SULFONAMIDES, AND USES THEREOF
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Montreal, Quebec, Canada
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND VOLONTARY
AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is in response to a Restriction Requirement mailed by the Office on September 17, 2008 in connection with the above captioned subject matter. A petition for an extension of time up to and including December 17, 2008 is being filed concurrently herewith under separate letter.

Amendment to the Specification are reflected on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17 of this paper.